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1. The amendment filed on 24 October 2005 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

- a) entered.
- b) entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
- c) disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.
Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.
- d) disapproved. See explanation below.
- e) entered in part. See explanation below.

The amendment is not in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121 because the labeling of claim 5 should be "(Previously Presented)", the amendment to the title misspells the word "aligned", and the examiner's title is more clearly indicative of the invention to which the claims are directed.



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